IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Akihiro Suzuki Group Art Unit: 1792

Serial No.: 10/590,283 Examiner: Schiffman, Benjamin A.

Filed: August 22, 2006 Docket No.: 1680/48

Confirmation No.: 8072

For: METHOD OF MANUFACTURING A DRAWN BIODEGRADABLE MICRO-

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AMENDMENT C

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This is responsive to the Office Action dated April 8, 2011, having a term for response without extension by <u>July 8, 2011</u>. An Information Disclosure Statement (IDS) is being filed herewith. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the amount of \$180.00, to cover the IDS fee, along with any other fees associated with the filing of this Amendment, and to credit any over payment to, Deposit Account Number <u>50-0426</u>. Favorable consideration is respectfully requested in view of the following Remarks.

Amendment

Please amend the application as follows: